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Since no information has been developed through informant contacts and through contacts with the NYCPD to substantiate an attempt on PARKS' life this case is being placed in closed status in the NYO. Informants, however, have been reminded to remain alert for any information concerning this matter.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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FROM:

DIRECTOR, FBI

DATE: 4/21/65

SAC, NEW YORK (157-1430) (C)

SUBJECT:

UNSUBS; NOI Members Who Allegedly
May Assassinate GORDON PARKS, Negro
Writer and Photographer of Time-Life,
NYC

RACIAL MATTERS
(OO: NEW YORK), N.Y.

ReNYairtel with attached LHM, 3/11/65.

This case was opened upon receipt of information on
3/9/65, to the effect that an account was to be made to
assassinate GORDON PARKS.

The following confidential informants who have furnished
reliable information in the past, and who are familiar with
certain phases of NOI and/or MMI activities in the NY area,
were contacted on several occasions during March and April, 1965,
at which time they could furnish no information concerning an
assassination attempt on GORDON PARKS: [redacted]

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BSS and CIB, NYCPD, was contacted on occasions
during March and April, 1965, and no information was received
from these agencies concerning the alleged assassination attempt.

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On 4/21/65, [redacted] Chief Counsel, Time-Life, Inc.,
50th St. and 6th Ave., NYC, telephonically advised SA FRANK
BYDLON that he has received no further information which might
substantiate the allegation concerning an assassination attempt
on GORDON PARKS' life. He said that GORDON PARKS had spent
some time in Puerto Rico and is currently on an assignment in
Paris, France.

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INVESTIGATOR
D. J. MURRAY

5 MAY 5 1965

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